

**Response under 37 C.F.R. 1.116
- Expedited Examining Procedure -
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In re Application of:

Hwei-Ling Yau, et al

**METHOD OF COATING A
MULTILAYERED ELEMENT**

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Examiner: John P. McPherson

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Sir:

Response Under 37 CFR 1.116

In response to the Final Office Action mailed August 28, 2006, in which the two-month time period to respond is October 28, 2006, please amend the above-identified Application, without prejudice, as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.